## WHY EVERY TEXAN SHOULD VOTE FOR League Of Nations

are the series and knife; them on general principles. The Herald is opposed to making constitutions too easy of amonthment. It holds that the fundamental law aught to be initially stable, and in that end ought to be kept fires of legislation and be confined to principles and broad provisions that can and will stand through the pears feminate from passing fade and partisan achemes. But it would be a poor constitution that always shood in the way of real progress.

In many respects the Texas constitution is admirable. In name ways it does not meet the requirements of this day. Some of its provisions, framed long ago to meet conditions and seeds there existing or imagined by the fathers to exist, have been outgrown. These abould be changed to accord with modern necessities and desires of progressive citizens. But a large proportion of voters fail to post themselves on such matters, and, acknowledging their ignorance, they have been been outgrown, the stand that any change is bad, and out the stand that any change is bad, and out the belief dealing with constitutional amendments and saying samething under the breath that sounds like "Tell with it."

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may burden or charge on anyhory. An interfer and make it possible for communities that really want to tax themselves is a reasonable exist, to do so. The amendments confer permission, they impose no new duty.

One of the amendments confers the right on small rural communities to tax themselves for public purposes; the resent limit of ene-quarter of 1 percent of valuations is raised to 1½ percent as a maximum, but no community in the state need impose mare than the present rate unless it desire to do so. Nobody can be hunt by this charge.

Another abelishes the practice of paying public officers by fees, and puts all on a salary basis. This is strictly in the sixter abeliance of every citizen in the state unless it be the shuffly in nome populous sounties who have been receiving incimes all out of proportion to the services performed, responsibilities borns, or calcross public in the butions world. Sheriffs in Texas don't make \$75,000 or \$100,000 a year as the abertif of New York used to, but some of them do make mosmes commons measured by any ordinary standards of payment for service remarked. at for service rendered.

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County, state, and position officers are entitled to fair pay, and perhaps some of them may earn more salary than they get in feas, but the effect of the amendment will not analy be a general equalization, but it will mean a direct and considerable saving to the taxpayers, especially those and considerable saving to the taxpayers, especially those are populous counties. The amendment should by all means carry. It has been discussed for many years, and now is not the considerable and considerable and considerable saving to the taxpayers, especially those to work this time will be pleasing news to all.

Americanization.

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The third amendment is the one the entire educational street of Perzas is bething with all its strength. It adds not taxes, imposes 'he burden, but simply authorizes independent school districts to tax themselves for school purposes without being achiect to the rigid restrictions now in feroe as to the maximum rate. It puts independent school districts all over the state in the same class with characteristicities all over the state in the same class with characteristicities all over the state in the same class with characteristicities all over the state in the same class with characteristicities all over the state in the same class with characteristic in fraction to the fax limit for schools.

Chiese, with their large assessable valuations, commonly limit by their own characts their achool inx maximum rate at a figure well within the constitutional maximum. But independent school districts in rural regions, having less call to upon manay on general public works, often desire append money of the same draw of the same draw

and in your way. Isn't that fair? No taxpayer will have his taxes raised naless his com-

to be hoped that Texas voters will not perform their minnity votes for the raise. The state takes hands off, if fatal operation on the three proposed constitutional the amendment passes. The present maximum is too low, and knifes them on general principles. The much too low, to enable many progressive rural districts to

The only trouble about the election, according to the Democrats, is that it is going to be too soon. They haven't stand without change or comment, the had time to organize their campaign.

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Notes" will be given here day by day.

### Stranger Things, Horatio.

It yet, an amendments proposed this year are different. They are really necessary, desirable, wise, opportune. They are harmless, even to the farmer and the stockman. And their adoption would mean that a lot of things withly necessary to the weiters of all the people of Texas could be done that are now bearred.

Two of the amendments relate to taxation. That alone will mark them for the staughter in the minds of a lot of working word. But look here, folks:

The assent to the table land was made by tedious and dengerous climbing. But the reward was adequate, for not him to despite the war are more the unwise restriction that new exists and make it possible for communities that really want to tax themselves any burden or charge an anyhody. All they do is to remove the unwise restriction that new exists and make it possible for communities that really want to tax themselves and make it of the stars and from which could be seen designed within reach of the stars and from which could be seen designed within reach of the stars and from which could be seen designed within reach of the stars and from which could be seen designed within reach of the stars and from which could be seen designed and keep order in the world that many relate to tax themselves and make it of the stars are stars, they impose no new duty.

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There is little wonder the Indians did not want inquisitive members of another race to penetrals their sacred place. And in fact only the scientist or the eager socker for knowledge that will connect us with a dim past could have done so without desectation.

Didn't that German with the camers know that we are still at war with him?

Hint to manarchies: When you tire of your king, buy

monkey.

The announcement that dead men will not be allowed in so doth in so

WOMAN THINKETH | Short Snatches

God's in his heaven; all's right with the world.

From Everywhere

## LEAVES FROM AN OVERSEAS NOTEBOOK By H. D. SEATER.

# And Foreign Policy

Bloodhounds are being used to catch a hank robber. Did how







SCHOOL DAYS MeChere Semapager Sendicula. By DWIG

Bedtime Stories For The Little Ones

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brendth of vision of the men who do

many of them, some being red in color, others reallow, a few purple and
atill more brown in time.

"And while Uncle Wagnly is vaking
up the leaves, to make cour hollow
stemp bungglow, look spick and
hyan, and Nurse Jane to herself.
"Til go in and bake a custard puddied."

The maskrat lady mixed up floor,
regge, giver, mile, butter, coccanuit,
chocolate and rose leaves—whatever
goes into a custard pudding—and sha
put it is the oven to bake.

A Hille later Uncle Wignily, who
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taking, saw his mixers lady house
keeper come out on the black purch
and set semmething down on the sleep.

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## con him. They'd find the pickings mighty ellin; for James P. Jones is always broke, his credit is a gheatly jelor. And I have always found it thus; the man who makes the biggest has about the plutocrafe knaves who beat us into early graves, is one who sever had a coll, some chap who's always in the hole. I find that if I work and save, and like a thrifty gont behave, I have the plunks to get its brice, and man disputes that they are mine. No Wall street barons are band to be the series and man for mandate on the first series are abroad to touch me for my humble wad; no malefactors of great wealth secure that wad by force or stealth. But still I hear this James P. Jones: "I cannot have a store of bones, because the grasping, soulless plutes will rob a poor man

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